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Year **1247** (**MCCXLVII**) was a common year starting on Tuesday (link will display the full calendar) of the Julian calendar.

Millennium:	2nd millennium
Centuries:	12th century · **13th century** · 14th century
Decades:	1220s · 1230s · **1240s** · 1250s · 1260s
Years:	1244 · 1245 · 1246 · **1247** · 1248 · 1249 · 1250

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Events

- Buganda Kingdom Kabaka Tembo reigned over the Kingdom of Buganda between 1247 and 1277 in the present Uganda Monarchy.
- July 2 – A document issued by King Béla IV of Hungary, granting territories to the Knights Hospitaller in the Banate of Severin and Cumania, makes an early mention of Litovoi and other Vlach/Romanian local rulers, in Wallachia and Transylvania.
- December 1 – A rebellion arises among the Muslim subjects of the Crown of Aragon, in the region of Valencia. As a punishment, the king issues an order of expulsion of the Muslims from his realm, leading numerous people into exile in Andalusia and North Africa, in the subsequent year.[1]
- Shams Tabrizi disappears, resulting in Jalal Uddin Rumi writing 30,000 verses of poetry about his disappearance.
- Romford, London, England is chartered as a market town.
- The future Bethlem Royal Hospital, *Bedlam*, is founded in London.
- The Thuringian War of Succession begins.
- Qin Jiushao publishes the original form of the Chinese remainder theorem.
- Egypt takes control of Jerusalem from the Kharezmians.
- Nijmegen becomes part of Gelderland.
- Afonso III succeeds Sancho II, as King of Portugal.
- Song Ci publishes the *Collected Cases of Injustice Rectified*, a book considered to be the first monographic work on forensic medicine.

1247 in various calendars

Gregorian calendar	1247 *MCCXLVII*
Ab urbe condita	2000
Armenian calendar	696 ԹՎ ՈՂՋ
Assyrian calendar	5997
Balinese saka calendar	1168–1169
Bengali calendar	654
Berber calendar	2197
English Regnal year	31 Hen. 3 – 32 Hen. 3
Buddhist calendar	1791
Burmese calendar	609
Byzantine calendar	6755–6756
Chinese calendar	丙午年 (Fire Horse) 3943 or 3883 — *to* — 丁未年 (Fire Goat) 3944 or 3884
Coptic calendar	963–964

Births

- Angelo da Clareno, Italian founder of Fraticelli (d. 1337)
- John II, Count of Holland and Hainaut (d. 1304)
- Rashid-al-Din Hamadani, Persian writer and historian (approximate date) (d. 1318)
- Giles of Rome, Roman archbishop and philosopher
- Zhang San Feng, Chinese Taoist

Deaths

- February 12 – Ermesinde, Countess of Luxembourg, ruler (b. 1185)
- February 16 – Henry Raspe, Landgrave of Thuringia (b. 1204)
- Tomoe Gozen, late Twelfth Century Japanese samurai warrior (b. 1157)
- William de Ferrers (b. 1168)

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Discordian calendar	2413
Ethiopian calendar	1239–1240
Hebrew calendar	5007–5008
Hindu calendars	
- *Vikram Samvat*	1303–1304
- *Shaka Samvat*	1168–1169
- *Kali Yuga*	4347–4348
Holocene calendar	11247
Igbo calendar	247–248
Iranian calendar	625–626
Islamic calendar	644–645
Japanese calendar	Kangen 5 / Hōji 1 (宝治元年)
Javanese calendar	1156–1157
Julian calendar	1247 *MCCXLVII*
Korean calendar	3580
Minguo calendar	665 before ROC 民前665年
Nanakshahi calendar	−221
Thai solar calendar	1789–1790
Tibetan calendar	阳火马年 (male Fire-Horse) 1373 or 992 or 220 — *to* — 阴火羊年 (female Fire-Goat) 1374 or 993 or 221

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